

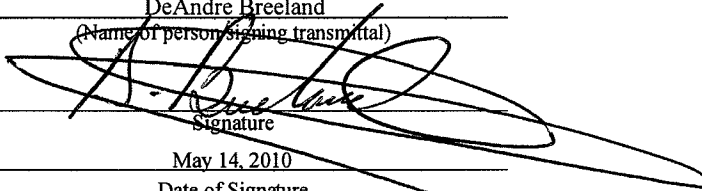
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Hisao Tanaka, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on March 30, 2010 having a three-month period for response set to expire on June 30, 2010, please amend the above-captioned application as follows. Applicants submit this Response by the two-month dated of May 30, 2010.

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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